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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 21st Saturday in 1919 (24th May 1919).

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 a. m. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per and market fluctuations in prices of food grains				
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1919										
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (-) of column 4 compared with column 6						
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	I.	O.	I.	O.	I.	O.	I.	O.	I.	O.	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	This week Seers.	Past week Seers.	Past ten years' fortnightly average Seers.	
	" City & Taluk	0	41	0	85	4	75	5	63	-	0					88
	Hoskote	0	50	0	57	1	50	4	00	-	2					50
	Dodballapur	0	66	0	83	3	84	4	06	-	0					22
	Nelamangala	0	60	0	73	4	20	4	97	-	0					77
	Kankanhalli	0	66	0	95	6	09	5	55	+	0					54
	Magadi	0	48	0	93	8	13	4	53	+	3					60
	Channarayana	0	14	1	12	6	23	5	51	+	0					72
	Anekal	0	59	0	82	4	50	5	28	-	0					78
	Devanahalli	0	86	1	16	4	65	5	22	-	0					57
	Closepet	1	92	0	94	6	15	4	88	+	1					27
	District average...	0	68	0	89	5	00	4	96	-	0					04
KOLAR.	Kolar	1	35	1	01	4	60	4	96	-	0	36	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	3'75	3'75	7'72
	Bowringpet	1	73	1	14	7	80	5	11	+	2	69				
	Chintamani	1	65	0	73	4	35	4	51	-	0	16				
	Mulbagal			0	83	3	70	4	35	-	0	65				
	Sidlaghatta	0	88	0	92	5	20	4	66	+	0	54				
	Chikballapur	0	09	0	96	3	71	4	29	-	0	58				
	Bagepalli	0	16	0	50	2	88	3	03	-	0	15				
	Goribidnur	0	70	0	49	3	90	2	91	+	0	09				
	Malur	1	10	0	90	4	95	4	48	+	0	47				
	Srinivasapur	0	58	1	14	4	63	5	14	-	0	51				
	Gudibanda	0	04	0	46	2	64	4	82	-	2	18				
	District average...	0	75	0	83	4	31	4	39	-	0	08				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	0	60	0	54	4	67	3	83	+	0	84	Rice, 2nd sort Ragi Kulthi Kadale	5'50	4'50	8'00
	Maddur	1	10	0	35	5	79	4	26	+	1	53				
	Chiknayakanhalli	0	32	0	54	3	15	5	02	-	1	87				
	Sira	0	37	0	31	3	99	3	16	+	0	83				
	Gubbi	1	13	0	69	9	06	4	47	+	4	59				
	Tiptur	0	95	0	82	4	77	4	67	+	0	10				
	Pavagada			0	72	2	57	3	73	-	1	16				
	Kunigal	0	25	1	09	5	48	4	37	+	1	11				
	Koratagere	1	84	0	34	8	38	3	74	+	4	64				
	Turuvekere	0	65	0	97	5	57	5	20	+	0	37				
	District average...	0	72	0	64	5	34	4	25	+	1	09				

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
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						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (-) of column 4 compared with column 5					
		2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE.	Mysore	1	83	1	33	5	09	6	74	1	65				
	Chamrajnagar	2	36	0	93	6	69	5	45	1	24				
	Seringapatam	1	70	1	27	4	25	6	44	2	19				
	Hunsur	2	56	1	07	4	20	6	95	0	75				
	Yedatore	0	47	1	08	4	75	5	18	0	43				
	Heggaddevankote	3	11	0	85	9	26	7	79	1	47				
	Gundlupet	0	45	0	84	4	38	7	08	2	70				
	Nanjangud	0	39	0	98	5	57	6	29	0	72				
	T. Narsipur	0	21	0	87	2	49	5	44	2	95				
	Malvalli	0	30	0	76	8	04	6	04	2	00				
HASSAN.	Mandya	0	85	1	03	5	18	5	78	0	60				
	Krishnarajpete	4	46	1	06	8	00	6	17	1	83				
	Nagamangala	1	42	1	23	5	15	5	19	0	04				
	District average...	1	50	1	03	5	77	6	19	0	42				
	Hassan	1	18	0	60	2	59	5	69	3	10				
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	46	0	64	2	15	5	39	3	24				
	Arkalgud	0	46	0	68	5	19	5	62	0	43				
	Belur	0	35	0	60	3	41	5	99	2	58				
	Channarayapatna	2	77	0	90	8	73	6	32	2	41				
	Arsikere	0	62	0	56	3	39	5	83	2	44				
SHIMOGA.	Hole-Narsipur	0	86	0	67	3	61	7	61	2	00				
	Alur (Sub)	0	81	0	87	5	91	6	02	1	11				
	District average...	0	88	0	69	4	37	5	93	1	56				
	Shimoga	1	23	0	31	2	63	5	22	2	59				
	Channagiri	0	27	0	27	0	14	4	19	4	05				
	Honnali	0	65	0	65	3	73	4	39	0	66				
	Shikarpur	0	51	0	51	3	82	3	82	3	82				
	Sorab	0	28	0	28	1	53	3	47	1	94				
	Sagar	0	47	0	47	2	43	3	94	1	51				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	0	84	0	84	0	53	3	67	3	14				
KADUR.	Tirthahalli	0	44	0	63	2	72	4	08	1	36				
	Kumsi	0	59	0	59	1	87	4	58	2	71				
	District average...	0	19	0	51	1	73	4	15	2	42				
	Chikmagalur	1	40	0	75	3	70	6	92	3	22				
	Kadur	0	30	0	56	1	71	3	43	1	72				
	Tarikere	0	50	0	40	2	24	4	35	2	11				
	Keppa	0	72	0	72	1	73	4	99	3	26				
	Mudgere	1	24	0	69	5	10	6	14	1	04				
	Narasimharajapura	0	05	0	80	1	53	5	60	4	07				
	Sringeri	0	57	0	57	0	20	3	84	3	64				
CHITALDRUG.	District average...	0	50	0	64	2	32	5	40	2	72				
	Chitaldrug	0	39	0	68	1	94	3	37	1	43				
	Challakere	1	13	1	04	4	37	4	46	0	09				
	Hiriyur	0	24	0	56	3	07	3	65	0	58				
	Holalkere	0	53	0	53	1	74	2	53	0	79				
	Davangere	1	54	0	79	1	91	3	20	1	29				
	Molakalmuru	0	40	0	28	2	81	3	03	0	22				
	Jagalur	1	19	0	76	6	01	3	81	2	20				
	Hosdurga	0	37	0	37	1	18	2	77	1	59				
	District average...	0	54	0	62	2	96	3	33	0	37				
CHITALDRUG.	Provincial average...	0	72	0	73	3	98	4	78	0	80				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.

Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, &c.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.

Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	} Not received.	} Current. Quantity per rupee by the standards seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi		
Rangoon rice (2nd sort)		

Agricultural operations.—Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Moderately supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Manure is being carted to fields in Nelamangala, Magadi and Anekal Taluks, and ploughing operations are going on in all the taluks.
Seeds sown.—Sowing of til (yellu) is going on in Bangalore, Magadi and Anekal Taluks and it is just finished in the Nelamangala Taluk. Sugar-cane is being planted in the Jala hobli of the Devanhalli Taluk, and cholum is being sown in Channapatna and Magadi Taluks.
Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in Bangalore, Magadi, Channapatna is in good condition and in Hoskote, Nelamangala, Magadi and Anekal it is in a fair condition. Paddy crop in Hoskote, Magadi and Channapatna is in a fair condition and mulberry crop in the Closepet Sub-Taluk is in a good condition.
Damages to crops.—Nil.
Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in Nelamangala.
Estimated outturn.—8 annas.
10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Food stuffs are available, but at high prices. Cooly classes find labour.
11. Except for plague in only one village in the Anekal Taluk and small-pox in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala, Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, public health is generally good. Six imported cholera cases (of which one died) are reported in the Devanhalli Taluk.
12. Except for Dodroga in parts of Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Markets are moderately supplied.
9. *Seeds sown.*—Gid ragi and sugar-cane in parts of the Mulbagal and Malur Taluks respectively.
Crops harvested and their outturn.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Goribidnur and Malur Taluks. Yield 8 to 10 annas. Sugar-cane in parts of Malur Taluk. Yield 8 to 12 annas. Nati ragi and chillies in parts of the Mulbagal Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas 8 as respectively.
10. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing of dry fields is in progress in parts of all the taluks, in consequence of the recent rains.
Distress.—Not reported.
Food stock.—Ragi is not sufficiently supplied; other food grains are available. Burma rice is sold at taluk headquarters stations at 5 seers per rupee.
10. *Prospects of the season.*—Promising. Prices of food grains stationary. Cooly classes find labour.
11. Public health is generally good. Cholera is still prevailing in parts of the Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Chikballapur Taluks and small-pox in parts of the Kolar, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks.
12. Cattle are generally healthy except for Rinderpest in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Srinivasapur Taluks. Pasture available. Fodder not sufficient. Water available.